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Work To Start In June On Sewer-Water Following Record Vote 90% In Favor

By T. W. PUE

LAC LA BICHE — The future advancement of this rapidly growing town, on the northern edge of agriculture where the trap line and woodman's axe is continually giving way to the farmer's plow, is assured.

Last week the taxpayers of Lac la Biche voted overwhelmingly to have water and sewerage services installed as soon as possible. Work is expected to start as early as possible next year.

Out of 150 votes cast, there were three spoiled ballots and 13 votes against the project, on the question of whether or not sewerage should be installed. There were 133 favourable votes for sewers and 134 favourable for water.

The town fathers all expressed satisfaction, not only because the project met with the approval of the taxpayers, but because the vote was so overwhelmingly in favour. One councillor stated that a third good point about it is that nearly everyone who could turned out to vote.

This was largely because of the excellent spirit among a number of young business men who freely used their cars to "get out the vote. All councillors expressed the opinion that the town's application for permission to borrow the money required would meet with the approval of the Board of Public Utility Commissioners in view of the high vote in favor.

MATERIALS ORDERED

Knowing that materials for laying pipe lines for sewer and water are in short supply, with long waiting lists of towns ordering such materials, the town council earlier this year wisely placed an order which they expect to have delivered in June. As soon as the money borrowing from the Provincial Government at the low self-liquidating rate of 2% has been arranged, work can start if the pipes are ready.

PLEASED WITH TURNOUT

Never really doubtful of the outcome of the town's vote on the question, Mayor Hall stated "We are glad so many turned out to vote, and that over 90% of those who did voted in favor of sewer and water. The council will now proceed at once with application for the Provincial loan."

Former Mayor Cadzow expressed pleasure last Friday night at the result of the vote. Our town is in competition with nearly every other town in the province," he said. "Such modern facilities as water and sewerage will make Lac la Biche a better place in which to live and more people will want to come here to live. Now, if we can arrange for natural gas service Lac la Biche can become the most important town in north-eastern Alberta."

Mayor Hall, receiving congratulations on behalf of the council and himself for a job well done, stated that a great deal of the credit was due to Dr. Cadzow for his work when he was mayor of the town.



Their Excellencies, Lord and Lady Alexander, in the drawing room at Government House, Ottawa, admire the Santa Claus displays which will herald the official opening of the Christmas Seal Campaign in Canada on November 19th. Miss Hazel A. Hart, Director of Christmas Seal Sales for the Canadian Tuberculosis Association, is seen explaining that this is probably the first time old Santa has ever gone on a crusade. As honorary president of the association, His Excellency expressed keen interest in the fact that the Christmas Seal raised more than $1,750,000 in Canada last year, and that this money is spent on tuberculosis prevention work in the district in which it is raised. He and Lady Alexander extended their good wishes for the success of the current campaign. Her Excellency graciously accepted the Santas on display saying there were always children around the Hall who would love them as part of their Christmas decorations.

Annual Meeting Church And WI

LAC LA BICHE — Henry G. Harper, lay reader from Boyle, will conduct an evensong service in St. Andrew's Anglican Church, Lac la Biche, on Monday Dec. 10, at 7:30 p.m.

After the service, the annual meeting of the congregation, also the anual W.A. meeting will be held, and all Anglicans, adherents and those interested are urged to attend.

All Pretty Here

GRASSLAND—There just aren't any plain women in Grassland any more. It seems a certain beauty specialist of South Edmonton was in Grassland doing a work of art. It is reported that the plain women are beautiful and the beautiful women are angelic. The specialists have moved on to Atmore to try their luck there.

Seed Growers To Get Payment On Capital

The Alberta Seed Growers' Association has announced that a further repayment of capital reserves will be made to its members during December of this year. 50% of the capital reserves deducted from the 1944-45 crop are to be repaid to growers. This is the second series of cheques that the Alberta Seed Growers' Co-operative Limited has issued in repayment of capital reserve deductions, as the first series a year ago covered all reserves accumulated up to July 31st of 1944.

Lac la Biche Mission News

Mr. and Mrs. W. Ladouceur of Cardiff were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Narssise Ladouceur, and went to visit Mrs. Charles Boucher of Caslan.

Roger Hillair and Fred Ladouceur were employed at Fort Smith, N.W.T., by the N.F.C.L.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McFarlane from Edmonton have returned to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Febbien Ladouceur to stay for the winter.

Mr. Robert McFarlane was taken to the hospital by his brother in-law, Pat Ladouceur.

Lac la Biche Delegates Attend City Church Meeting

LAC LA BICHE—The Edmonton Presbytery of the United Church of Canada held its quarterly meeting in Robertson United Church, Edmonton, Nov. 28 and 29. Two delegates were present from the Lac la Biche United Church, Rev. D. A. Greenough as the minister, and Mrs. S. Hamar as the lay delegate.

Seveeral matters of interest to the Lac la Biche congregation were discussed, among them being the local share of the campaign to raise $600,000 for the building of a new United Church Training School in Toronto on the campus of Victoria University to train deaconesses and other women workers; the matter of the completion of the campaign for the Agnes Forbes Lodge for Elderly People which is at Fort Saskatchewan; the campaign for the raising of $202,400 for the completion of the new St. Stephen's college and renovations to the existing building; and also a campaign to raise a $150,000 Extension Fund for church extension within the boundaries of Edmonton.

In view of the fact that the door of China is now closed to our missionary work the opening of new mission fields for the United Church was also discussed. Japan and Copper Belt in Rhodessia were mentioned as possible fields for further mission extensions.

Reports were also heard from the Women's Missionary Society, Pensions, Evangelism and Social Service, and Home Missions committees, amongst others. Some discussion was also heard on the proposed rearrangement of Presbytery Boundaries, which would place the Lac la Biche Congregation within the Bounds of the new "East" Presbytery, (St. Paul, and Cold Lake area) rather than in the Edmonton Presbytery as it is at present. The matter was tabled for further discussion at the next meeting of the Presbytery.

Rev. Bruce Copeland who has recently returned from the Orient gave an outline of the "Christian Achievement in China" at the Wednesday evening meeting. Mr. Copeland, from Montreal, was educated at McGill where he majored in Chinese history, and at the United Theological College where he obtained his theologial training. He has also obtained degrees at Cambridge and Edinburgh universities. Mr. Copeland stated that the missionaries withdrawing from China left a Chinese church that was now as numerically strong as the United Church of Canada in this country, and has now reached a position where it is both self-supporting and self-propagating. He felt in his experience that the Chinese Church has grown in intellectual maturity and spiritual depth due to the teaching of Western missionaries.

Four candidates for the Christian ministry were also presented at the evening meeting by their own ministers. They were Terry Anderson of Metropolitan United Church by Rev. R. E. Vipond; Neil Whiting of Jasper Place United Church by Rev. H. Cantelon; James Veitch of Rundle United Church by Rev. J. Stephens; and Gerald Rogers of Knox United Church by his father, Rev. Dr. Gerald Rogers.

The conference concluded with the worship service conducted by Rev. R. Moss of Westminister-Chalmers United Church, Edmonton.

Ninety per cent of the money raised in the Christmas Seal Campaign is spent for tuberculosis work in the community in which it is raised.



TO HELP IN the fight against tuberculosis, an X-ray machine was presented to the Vegreville General Hospital in a ceremony in Vegreville last week. Pictured above is the machine presented to the hospital by the Alberta Tuberculosis Association, one of 18 such installations in Alberta paid for by Christmas Seals. Left to right are Dr. N. J. Kuzyk, Vegreville; T. A. Shandro, Edmonton, vice-president of the asscciation; Mayor William Morton, Vegreville; Sister Superior of the hospital; E. R. Baxter, director of X-ray surveys, and Dr. A. Couillard, Vegreville.

EDITORIALS

Christmas Seal Time Again

As long as tuberculosis threatens any section of our population, it will be necessary to fight this dread disease 365 days a year. Most of us forget about the year-long fight except when we're asked to buy Christmas seals. Then — we should remember. We don't want to leave our responsibility to memory, however, but should act at once by mailing our remittance for the TB Christmas seals, and then use Christmas seals on all our mail until Christmas.

The Right Christmas Spirit—send your donation for the fight against tuberculosis at once. By doing so you will assist someone to lay hold on the priceless gifts of life and good health.

Ghost Of Civic Election

(FROM THE EDMONTON SUN)

During the past civic election campaign, it seems there were forces at work to benefit by any racial or religious prejudice that might exist here in Edmonton. Though we are proud of the fact that Edmonton is one of the few areas in the world that we like to think of as free of such prejudices, being Canada's most cosmopolitan urban area, still we must face up to the grim truth that there are people in our midst who would fan racial hatreds into being for their own selfish purposes.

Or perhaps these people suffer from an inferiority complex and find expression in religious and racial malice for exhaltation of their ego. Like the Pharisee in the temple, they pray their thanks for not being as other men are.

Young Bill Hawrelak, Edmonton's new mayor, has just won a civic election with a tremendous majority. Tremendous, we believe, partly because the vast majority of citizens were aroused by an insidious effort to discredit him because his ancestors did not come from England, or Ireland, or Scotland or some other area of the world more to the liking of some of his critics.

An Edmonton voter has just sent us a letter which gives one reader's account of the election campaign:

> "Dear Sir: A few days before the Civic Election a letter, apparently designed to put Mr. Hawrelak into disrepute, was mailed to nearly every householder in the city. An incerpt therefrom follows: **"It may even be that you must decide between a way of living that has developed in Canada and in Edmonton through the years or a possibility of a trend which might not be acceptable to you.'** The inference or inuendo in this statement is so obvious that it hardly needs explanation, but this passage was meant to arouse suspicions in the minds of the voters and to imply that if Mr. Hawrelak were elected he would recast our way of living and inaugurate a regime opposite to our system of government. Although the election is now past history, one good purpose can still be served, to remind future traducers that they can't win a decision by hitting below the belt. They may have figured that this letter was a brilliant political manoeuvre but the electors spurned these tactics and gave Mr. Hawrelak a huge majority.
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> When this letter was first shown to me by one of the receivers I asked him what he thought about it. "'Like a dead mackerel in the moonlight this campaign letter shines and stinks,' he replied; and the voters may have felt the same way about it. If this letter of mine helps to eliminate any similar nauseating propaganda in the future it will have served its purpose by lending weight to the warning that slander in an election campaign does not pay."

We heartily agree with the sentiments expressed in the above letter and hope that never again will racial or religious prejudice figure in an public campaign to be carried on in our city.

The Bible Today:

For our sakes, no doubt, this is written: that he that ploweth should plow in hope; and that he that thresheth in hope should be partaker of his hope.
1 Corinthians, IX; 10.

GOLDEN GLEAMS

Faith is a knewledge of the benevolence of God toward us, and a certain persuasion of His veracity.
—John Calvin.

No man has power to let another prescribe his faith. Faith is not faith without believing.
—Thomas Jefferson.

What Stalin Would Tell You

If Stalin could hypnotize everybody in America at noon today, here are some opinions you would hold on various subjects:

THE ATOMIC BOMB

Russia knows how to make it, but she never intends to use it in a war. She wants to use atomic energy for such civilian purposes as blasting canals and levelling mountains. The United States is building atomic bombs as fast as she can because she wants to drop them on Russia. It would be easy to arrange for a limitation and inspection of atomic weapons except for the fact that America is stubborn.

THE UNITED NATIONS

It ceased long ago to function as a world organization representative of all the member nations. It now is dominated by the Anglo-American bloc which is using it as a vehicle for world conquest. Russia remains a member only because she is sincerely striving for peace and hopes some day to show the Americans and British the error of their ways. Sometimes it is necessary for Russia to veto a U.N. proposal to protect small nations which are helpless.

THE KOREAN WAR

It was started by the Americans who incited the South Koreans to attack the North Koreans. That was proved by the fact that Ambassador John Foster Dulles had his picture taken in the trenches in Korea. Gen. Matthew B. Ridgway is trying to use Korea as a beach-head from which to conquer all of Asia, but the North Koreans and Chinese Reds have given him a terrific licking. The only way Russia is involved is that she wants to have peace all over the world and that is why Jacob Malik suggested that maybe a cease-fire could be arranged.

INDUSTRIAL PROGRESS

Russia has bigger and better factories than anybody. Research over a period of the past 10 years has proven that Russians invented almost all modern machines and implements. It came out just the other day that a Russian invented the bicycle, for instance.

GEN. DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER

He is putting together a big army in Western Europe so he can invade Russia. When he does, he will be defeated and then it will be too bad for everybody who lined up on his side.

WORLD WAR II

Russia defeated Germany single-handed. The Normandy landings were too late to affect the outcome. Japan gave up one week after Russia entered the war, realizing the situation was hopeless. The American atomic bombs at Hiroshima and Nagasaki had nothing to do with this.

Note and Comment

The Alberta Progressive Conservative party will enter candidates in most, if not all, of the Alberta constituents at the next general election, which will take place next summer. There can be no question of the party's right to enter the political field in the province, but it is a dubious move, if the object is to defeat Social Credit and replace that philosophy with a more orthodox government.

The intention was stated as being an effort to place a stronger opposition in the legislature to the present government, but the very opposite may possibly be the effect of the decision. To divide the opposition forces in the province in an election contest is not likely to weaken the Social Credit hold on Alberta. Judging by past political history in Alberta, the Progressive Conservatives are unlikely to get far in their campaign. Alberta has never shown much preference for a Tory philosophy in its government.

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According to some official figures, the cost of living is going down. They claim it takes less time to earn an equal amount of purchasing power in terms of products now than it did in 1939.

As of June 1, 1951, the average wage of a Canadian industrial worker was 115.8c an hour, and he had to work 10.1 minutes to buy a quart of milk.

Under the same conditions a worker had to work 41.2 minutes to buy a pound of butter in 1939, and 35.2 minutes in 1951.

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Add smiles: As welcome as a cold snap without any fire in the house.

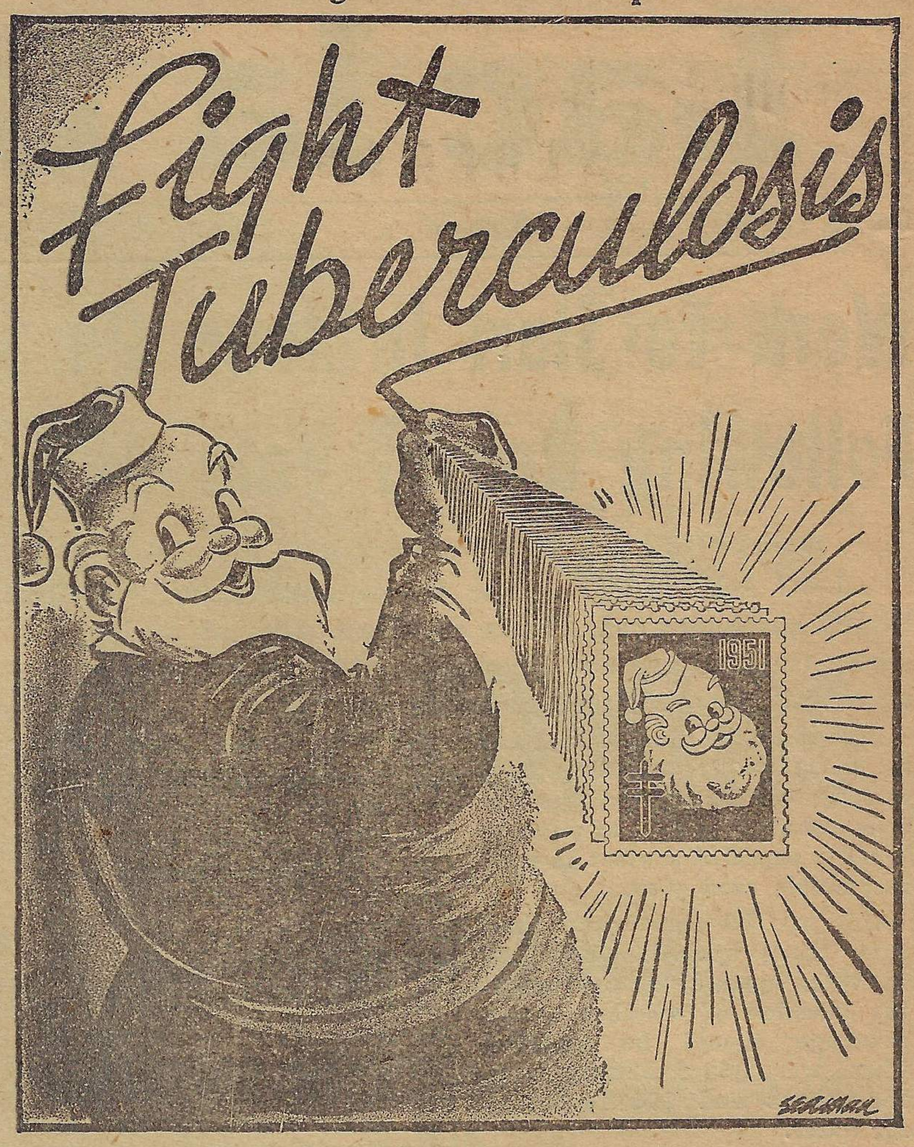
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Money talks and it usually is talking about taking care of itself.

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It is very difficult to persuade a smoker that smoking is bad for his health.

The Right Christmas Spirit



Voice of the People

"VOX POPULI, VOX DEI"

THE HUTTERITES

Dear Sir—Have you paid any attention to the Hutterite question that is agitating the people in the southern part of Alberta? Frankly, I think the Government's policy is all wrong. Instead of trying to keep them off the land, why not give them individual farms or homesteads and force them into becoming real citizens?

Nanton, Alta. D. D.

TRUE TO FAITH

Dear Sir—Many Protestants criticize the Catholic Church, not knowing very much about it. But the Catholic Church has always been true to its faith. You don't find Catholic priests preaching that man came from monkeys. The Church is strong today, in spite of persecutions in Hungary and other places, because Catholics are faithful.

ROSARY.
Redwater, Alta.

Newspaper Errors

By T.B.W.

It is considered smart by some people to speak slightilngly of newspapers and their veracity. Newspaper publishers and editors are aware that mistakes do occur, but they know the wonder is not that mistakes happen, but that there are not more of them considering the conditions of stress and rush in which a newspaper edition is produced.

But some of the more flagrant errors and slips that do get past the editorial desk are nevertheless amusing. Here are a few of them:

An advertisement recently appeared in an English paper for a "Shorthorn typist." This blunder brought forth the amusing reply: "Being a thoroughbred Jersey cow I beg to offer my services. I was educated at Wembdon Fields and passed my TT and I also passed a Pitman's examination at 120 squirts a minute.

Here's another from an American publication: "Nothing gives a greater variety to the appearance of a house than a few undraped widows."

Here's a report on a yacht race from an American newspaper: "Both yachts presented a gorgeous appearance as they rounded the outer mark, well heeled over, their crews perched up to windward, their bronzed bottoms shining in the ruddy light of the sunset."

An Irish newspaper made the typical Irish bull when it said of a wedding: "The blushing bride was accompanied to the altar by tight bridesmaids. Another illustrated publication told of a wedding in which "the bride presented the bridegroom with a gorgeous dressing down!"

The day for more sensible costumes for the male portion of the community can be seen from the following, culled from an English magazine: "Last summer commercial travellers could have been observed going about their business dressed in shorts and open skirts.

A newspaper at Des Moines, Iowa, once published a report of several poets reciting excerpts of their writings to a large audience and described Mr. Witter Bynner as "the pot of the evening." When the poet read the report he was amused and remarked: "They probably thought it was a recital of chamber music!"

Bret Harte, famous writer, never forgot the time when, as editor of a weekly newspaper, he write a notice of the death of one of the town's most respectable citizens, a Mrs. McGilligan. "Above all the ladies of this town," Harte wrote, "she was distinguished for her charity." When the proofs came from the printer the word "chastity" had been substituted for "charity." Instead of correcting the mistake, Harte merely put a question mark in brackets on the margin and sent the proof back. Next day the paper published the item stating that: "Mrs. McGilligan above all the ladies of this town was distinguished for her chastity (?)".

Spotlight on . . .

ALBERTA

A News Section About Alberta People

Week Ending Dec. 8, 1951

MEDICAL GRADUATES SHUN RURAL LIFE, SMALL TOWNS

EDMONTON — Rural areas of Alberta that hope for more doctors to adequately serve the small towns and rural areas can keep on hoping, but the situation isn't likely to change.

The Canadian Medical Association is concerned about the fact that "big wages and luxuries of city life" are luring doctors away from rural areas.

Dr. H. B. Church, of Aylmer, Que., association president, told the annual meeting of the association's Alberta division that the problem was under study.

Medical graduates refuse to pump their own water or accept the rudimentary living of small towns and villages, he said, because of luxuries enjoyed at university.

They also work with the latest equipment while at university and, because they are unable to finance equipment of their own, they decide against starting their practice in rural areas.

Dr. Church recalled that in former years young men launched their medical careers by helping the local doctor push his car through snowdrifts or mud-clogged roads.

"These same youths are still around the country points," he added, "but they're not staying on the farm because of big wages and the luxuries of the city."

"Land Where Sun Always Shines Tomorrow"

A few weeks ago the Bank of Nova Scotia opened its new building in Toronto, and Premier Manning of Alberta was asked to comment on this step forward in the Bank's history. In his statement, Mr. Manning gave Alberta credit for much of the prosperity of the East.

His complete statement on the occasion is as follows:

"The Province of Alberta used to be called "the land where the sun always shines tomorrow." It was—and it is—Canada's ambitious province. Peopled by those who followed the sun to the Rockies, it became first the range land of Canada, then the pioneer in agricultural irrigation and now the black gold hope of Canada's future in the world of petroleum. And it is axiomatic that there is no provincial government in Canada today that realizes more strongly, or practices more fully, the principle that government and business must work ever more harmoniously together if we are to be build and maintain those sinews of strong economic growth on which our future is premised.

In 1903, when the Bank of Nova Scotia first established in Edmonton, our capital city, even it could hardly have foreseen the horse giving away to the airplane, nor that the rancher's son would blaze the trail toward Canada's self sufficiency in oil.

Today this building is a monument to those of the east, who like ourselves, had faith in Alberta and the courage to bring that faith to realization.

On behalf of the people of Alberta, I offer all our congratulations to you on this momentous occasion."



MRS. SAM MITANSKI of Andrew, demonstrates some of the handwork with which she won prizes at the Lamont Fair.

Andrew Family Receives Prizes

Mrs, Sam Mitanski of Andrew, and her children, Zinovia, 16, and Ernest, 12, recently received cheques amounting to $45.75 from the Lamont Agricultural Society. The money is a prize for the display of handwork which Mrs. Mitanski had done for the Lamont Agricultural Fair last summer.

The display which featured hand-made articles of clothing and decoration, was judged as one of the best at the fair.

The Lamont Agricultural Fair is held in August, where many articles of handwork, cooking, and farm products are displayed and judged.

Fire Commissioner Warns Against Common Fire Hazards

A. E. Bridges, Provincial Fire Commissioner, today issued a special appeal to householders in which he listed some fire prevention reminders.

Mr. Bridges asked parents not to leave their children alone in the home because of the danger of fire. Also, special care should be taken to ascertain that all heating apparatus is safe. Recent fires reported showed that poorly installed and overheated stoves and pipes had fed to fires, and where loss of life had occurred, this had been due to children being left alone.

"It isn't possible for the provincial fire inspection staff to visit all homes and point out conditions that are likely to cause fires," Mr. Bridges said. "But we and the municipal fire services make available information of fire prevention. Through finding the cause of fires, provincial and municipal fire officials are provided with information which will prevent loss and suffering from fire."

He listed the following precautions:

1. Stoves burning solid or liquid fuel should be installed 18 inches from any frame wall. If closer, the wall can be protected by a bright metal reflector, placed two inches out from the wall and extending beyond the stove on each side. A stove should never be closer than six inches to a wall even with protection.

2. Stovepipes should be vented directly into the chimney and be nine inches clear of frame par titions and 18 inches from the ceiling.

3. Extra precautions must be taken when walls of ceilings and rooms are of an easily inflammable material.

4. Oil burners should be of approved types and their fuel should be kept a safe distance from the burner. If carbon gathers, the burner or stove should be checked immediately by an expert.

5. Be careful of: children playing with matches, smoking, defective electric wiring, and chimneys which have fallen into disrepair.

FUA Annual Meet Next Week In Calgary

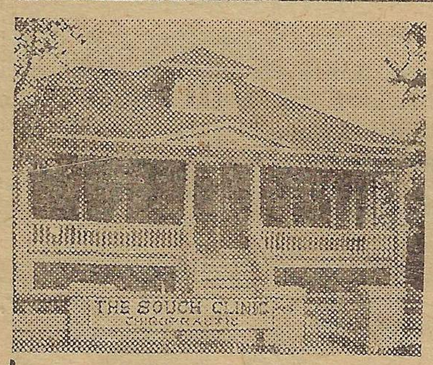
Due to lack of hotel accommodation in Edmonton, Calgary again this year will receive the convention delegates to the annual meeting of the Farmers' Union of Alberta. This is the third convention since amalgamation of the UFA and AFU. The convention will be opened by Mayor Don MacKay of Calgary and Premier Manning. In addition, Hon. David Ure, Alberta Minister of Agriculture, will be guest speaker.

There will be other main speakers from Saskatchewan Farmers' Union and Montana Farmers' Union. The meetings will start with a joint session with the FWUA Monday morning, Dec. 10, and will not conclude until Friday evening.

The FWUA (women's section) will meet in separate convention during each day, and will join the FUA delegates in the evening sessions. They have set aside Tuesday afternoon in their convention for Junior afternoon and Mr. R. M. Putnam, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, will be their guest speaker that afternoon, and there will be addresses by officials of the Junior FUA.

Presidents of the Union are: Henry Young, FUA; Mrs. Winifred Ross, FWUA, and Bruce Ellis, Jr. FUA. There will be election of these officers and the executive at this convention, with the exception of Jr. president, who is elected at Farm Young People's Week in June.

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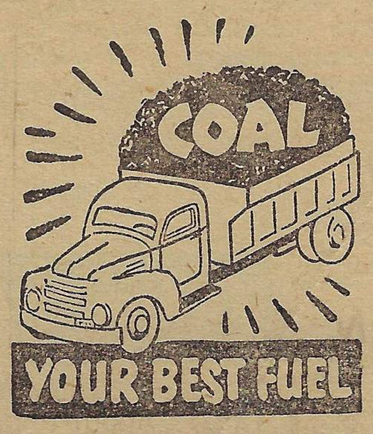
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Eight New Arrivals In Seven Days

LAC LA BICHE—The Sisters at the hospital reported a full house last week—with all wards filled to overflowing. Not only that, but eight brand new citizens made their appearance, averaging better than one a day for the week ending Friday, Nov. 30.

On Sunday, Nov. 25, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kolach, of Frains, were presented with a baby daughter, and a son made his debut to Mr. and Mrs. Donat Cote of Charon on the 25th.

Monday, the 26th, saw also the arrival of a son for Mr. and Mrs. Alex Halitsky of Caslan.

On the 27th, there were three new arrivals: To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mihalchian, of Owl River, a daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Kirichuk, Craigend, a son, and to Mr. and Mrs. George Duperron of Birney, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. John Williams of Lac la Biche became parents to a new son on Nov. 28 and on the same day a daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Leo Teschuk of Grassland.

The stork is a busy bird these days in Lac la Biche!

In hospital during the week:

Mrs. Fred Swistelniski, Rich Lake; Lorn Johnson, Caslan; John Salahub, Craigend; Mr. Alex Lafournaise, Lac la Biche; Mrs. David Onciul, Helena; Baby Bertha Duigan, Atmore; Mrs. George Boucher, Lac la Biche; Ross Galbraith Lac la Biche; Baby Larry Hamelin, Lac la Biche.

Mrs. Frank Wentzel, Noral; Mrs. Ben Rozzoli, Lac la Biche; Mrs. Josephine St. Jean, Plamondon; Caroline Smallfare, Beaver Lake; Mrs. Dale Mellott, Grassland; Miss Rose Mahowich, Venice; Mrs. George Whitford, Grandin; Darlene Anderson, Lac la Biche; Mrs. Francis Evans, Rich Lake; Mrs. Fred Smith, Plamondon.

Newlyweds To Live At Bonnyville

LAC LA BICHE—The wedding of Miss Gertrude Langevin, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Langevin, to Rene Ringutte of Bonnyville, took place at 10 a.m. Nov. 26, in St. Catherine's church, Rev. Fr. J. E. McGrane officiating.

The bride wore a floor-length gown of white lace. Mrs. Joseph Langevin of Gruville was maid-of-honor in a blue suit and white hat. Miss Mary Uganetz, bridesmaid, wore a floor-length gown of lime green. Brick, brother of the groom, was best man and Joseph and Alfred brothers of the bride, were ushers.

A luncheon was served at the bride's home and a dance followed in the Memorial Hall. The couple will make their home at Bonnyville.

GRASSLAND NEWS BRIEFS

GRASSLAND — Mrs. Bill Rosa entertained the district nurse and teachers on Wednesday, Nov. 21 and a most enjoyable evening ensued.

Mr. Anton Lushka was in hospital at Lac la Biche, but has now gone to Edmonton for further treatment.

Miss Olga Karpetz of Amesbury, is attending Grassland high.

Mrs. Lillian McKenzie entertained Mr. and Mrs. Bob Rhein of Atmore on Friday, Nov. 23.

LAC LA BICHE NEWS BRIEFS

Mike Maccagno returned from the city, where he spent a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Langevin and two sons, Dennis and Jimmy, from Gruville, visited Joe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Langevin, for a few days while attending Joe's sister's wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. McBride and daughter visited Mrs. McBride's sister and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lett are the proud parents of a son born Friday, Nov. 30. He was born on little Lorna May's first birthday.

There was a pie social and dance held at home of A. Ladouceur, Nov. 23. The proceeds go to the Christmas concert, which amounted to $55. A good crowd attended the dance. There was also a cake raffled. The lucky ticket went to little Barbara Ann Calhoun of Kikino.

There was a big timber wolf killed by three small boys a week ago Saturday.

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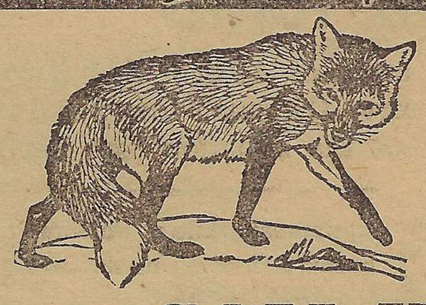
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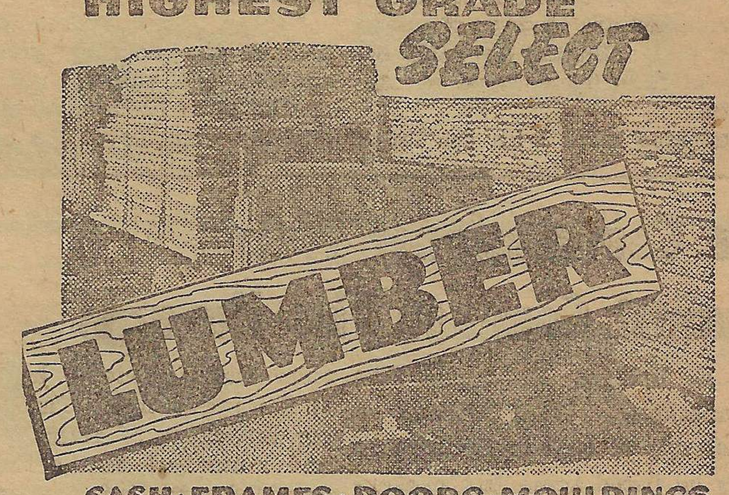
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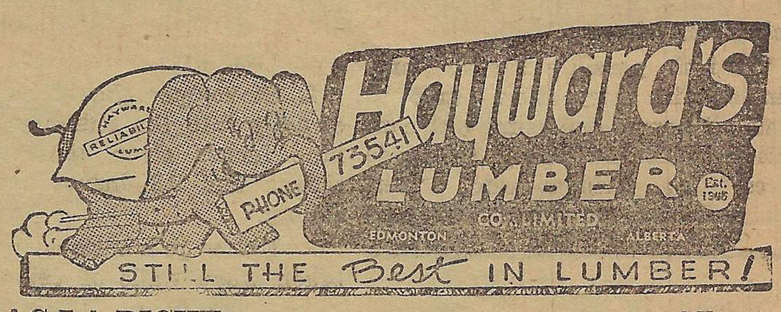
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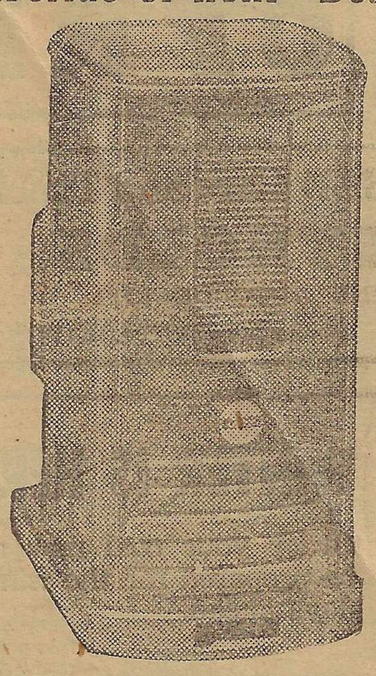


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Emergency Landing At Local Airport

LAC LA BICHE—A ten-seater McInnes Products Corporation aircraft landed last week at the airport here, where the crew and passengers remained overnight at the hotel. On account of heavy snowfall Wednesday night it was decided to land at Lac la Biche rather than hazard a flight to Edmonton, to which point the craft was bound after a trip from McMurray.

PLAMONDON NEWS BRIEFS

The Nineteen Nifty Nippers held a meeting Wednesday, Nov. 28 at 8:30 at the home of Mrs. Summerville.

Mrs. Alcide Jermaine is home again after spending a few days in the Lac la Biche hospital.

Mrs. Edmond Schaub is teaching grades 3 and 4. Their former teacher Miss Rachel Marisett has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Evanlist Coti are proud to announce the birth of a baby girl.

Mr. Albert Plamondon of Avenir is sporting a new light green Chevrolet car.

Mr. Rene Minard has returned home after a couple months of outside work.

Mr. Oscar Schaub is also seen sporting a new car.

Library To Be Open Evenings

LAC LA BICHE—The Women's Institute library in the Lac la Biche town hall will be open on Wednesday evenings from 7 to 8:30, commencing Dec. 12. This is in order that those patrons who are unable to select books in the afternoons, may have the opportunity of reading some of the new books which have recently been added to the library.

McRAE NEWS BRIEFS

By Henry Thompson

A marriage is always news, but when a bachelor with confirmed views adverse to matrimonial blessedness reverses his previous opinions and succumbs to this cyclonic change of status himself, it immediately becomes Head Line News to his friends and acquaintances.

Nick Abramic,, once a teen-age resident of McRae, had his wedding dance on the 21st day of November at the Spedden Hall, where his many friends and new relatives gathered to enjoy a fine evening. Regret that I cannot give a first-hand account of this wedding but I have it on good authority that the bride, former Miss Annie Fedachko of Spedden, is a charming young woman and sufficient reason for any man to turn his back on his first mistaken ideas.

We trust that Nick will find his first experience, if the need should ever arise for dog-house confinement, not too tedious, and we advise patience and forbearance as a watchword in any possible tempestuous squall. We wish them many years of happy sailing.

Mrs. Adeline Thompson returned to her home from the Lac la Biche Hospital, where she was under the care of Dr. Cadzow. Mrs. Thompson is 88 years and ten months young and this is the first time in her life-time that she was ever in a hospital as a patient. She expresses warm appreciation for the sympathetic, kindly care she received from the Sisters of St. Catherine Hospital. Henry Thompson, whose name appears in Lac la Biche Herald articles, was a frequent visitor during her stay at la Biche.

Mrs. Kost Wysosky has taken her little girl to Edmonton, where the girl will enter a hospital for crippled children.

John Toma, Frank and Charlie Squirrel are out at camp cutting pulp wood.

Martin Tkachuk is home again with his big truck, after a turnover right in the town limits. No one was hurt, but the truck received considerable damage.

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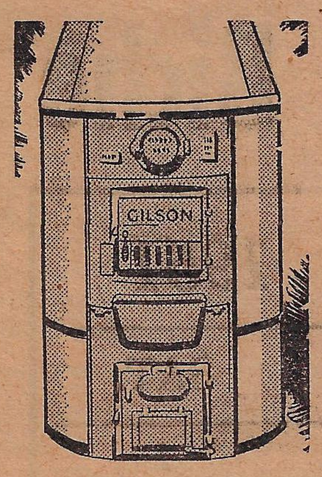
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NOTICE OF COMPLETION OF VOTERS' LIST

NOTICE is hereby given under the provisions of Section 108 of The Town and Village Act that the Voters' List of the Town of Lac la Biche has been prepared and that a copy of the said Voters' List is posted in the Office of the Secretary-Treasurer.

The posted list is open to inspection during business hours.

Any qualified elector may make application for the correction of any error or omission in the said Voters' list by serving notice upon the Secretary-Treasurer in writing on or before the First day of December.

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LOCAL M.L.A. WINS PRIZES AT ST. CATHERINE'S PARISH BAZAAR

LAC LA BICHE—Harry Lobay, member for Lac la Biche of the Alberta Provincial Legislature, was the lucky winner of a doll and chesterfield suite at the St. Catherine's Parish Bazaar. Another prize winner was Mrs. Noe Theroux, who won a beautiful cushion. It was the occasion of the annual bazaar, with chicken and Italian style spaghetti and Bingo to round out a full afternoon and evening of good food and a good time.

The bazaar was held in the Memorial Hall on Thursday, Nov. 29. Doors were open at 2:00 p.m. A Bingo, Fish Pond and Sale of Work assisted in record gross receipts of over $1,400, of which over $1,300 was net, to be turned over to the work of the parish.

NORAL NEWS BRIEFS

Mrs. Wm. Skoreyko, who has been receiving treatment for sugar diabetes in St. Catherine's Hospital at Lac la Biche, is home.

Harold Hoflin and Metro Woychuk were in Lac la Biche on Thursday and met Mr. Pue, editor and publisher of the Lac la Biche Herald. They had an interesting talk with him.

Mrs. Marie Wentzel is a patient in Lac la Biche hospital.

The dance held at Noral turned out to be very good and everybody enjoyed the fine Abee music.

Mr. Harold Holst is back on the railroad after being on holidays for a couple of weeks.

Mr. Raymond Henson is back working for Swift Canadian Packing Plant.

Mr. Victor Hanson is working for Mr. Gordon of Caslan cutting pulpowod.

Ernest Hoflin, aged two, who had become lost on Sunday, was found by Carl Jukneis and Albert Hoflin about 9 o'clock at night.

Could Soon Get 24 Hour Service

— LAC LA BICHE—According to a promise made by the Alberta Government Telephones, Lac la Biche can have 24 hour telephone service if only 19 more subscribers are signed up for service. Present users feel that the Government-controlled system should go ahead and give the 24-hour service and perhaps send a salesman into the town and district to promote the business of telephone service.

However, officials of AGTS seem reluctant to increase either the number of subscibers or the hours of service, and it is felt here that the only way this fast-growing town will get service suitable to its requirements is for some local organization, such as the Lions Club, to make a canvass of all non-subscribers to get the necessary additional 19 new users signed up for telephone service.

IMPERIAL MILLS NEWS BRIEFS

IMPERIAL MILLS — The Imperial Mills Lumber Company commenced operating a night shift starting Nov. 25. There are approximately 60 men employed at the siding, some of whom are DP's from Germany and Finland. Mr. Alexander is continuing his position as day supervisor and Mr. Zutz has been transferred from time-keeping to night supervising.

Mr. and Mrs. U. Cadieux and daughter, Ealine, from Camp No. 1, spent the week-end visiting friends at the siding.

Patricia Bozok went on a shopping trip to Edmonton and claims she is pretty badly bent.

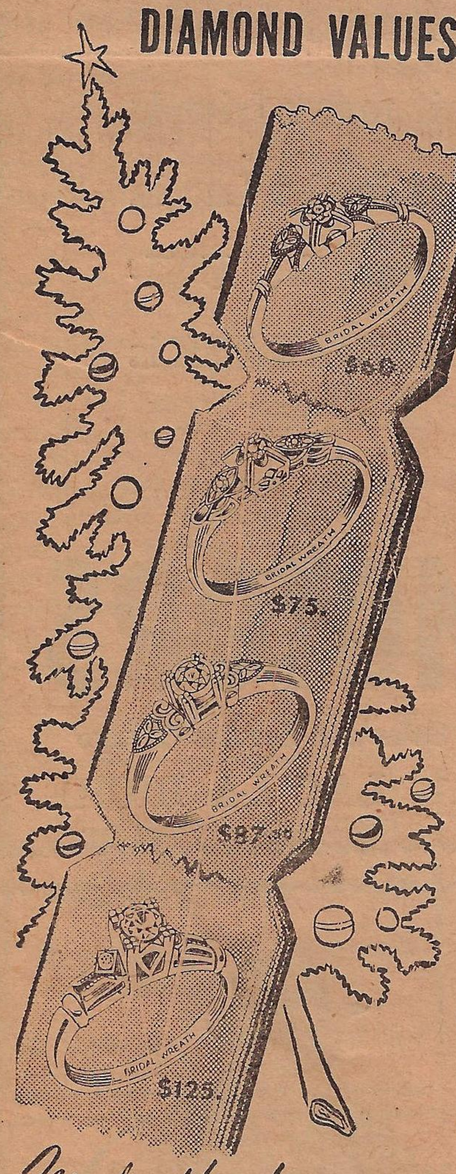
Joe Huppie and Reme Couture plus a number of employed men, have started loading pulpwood at Pitlochrie siding.

Mrs. E. Fisher will soon cease her job as watergirl, a well is being dug by her house.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Tishinuk spent the week-end at Lac la Biche.

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SUN.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THURS.	FRI.	SAT.
	SATURDAY, DECEMBER 22 **FREE MATINEE FOR THE CHILDREN** FREE TREATS AND SANTA CLAUS Followed by an All Cartoon Program — Donald Duck, Pluto, Tom and Jerry, Bugs Bunny, Andy Panda, Etc.					1 "PAINTED HILLS" Lassie in her latest and most exciting picture. All in Glorious Technicolor. "NATURE'S HALF ACRE" Walt Disney's latest true-to-life picture of the great outdoors, in dazzling color.
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	"THE REDHEAD AND THE COWBOY" Starring Glen Ford, E. O'Brien and Rhonda Fleming An outdoor action Picture in color. Time 8:30.		"MY FORBIDDEN PAST" With Robert Mitchum, Melvyn Douglas and Ava Gardner. It's about the kind of woman that made Orleans famous. Time 8:30.		"Whirlwind" Gene Autry, Smiley Brunette and Wonder Horse, Champion, carry the mail for Uncle Sam. Time 8:30.	The Milkman A Hilarious Comedy Hit with Jimmy Durante and Donald O'Conner. A Picture for the whole family. Times 2:30, 7:00, and 9:15.
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
	"THE MINNIVER STORY" With Greer Garson, Walter Pidgeon. A new picture of that beloved "Mrs. Minniver." Time 8:30.		"GAMBLING HOUSE" An unusual picture with startling developments. Don't miss it!. Time 8:30.		"GERONIMO" An outdoor action picture in Glorious Technicolor. Thrill after thrill in a picture of a 1,000 thrills. Friday 8:30 Saturday, 2:30, 9:00 and 9:15	
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
	"THE GREAT MANHUNT" Formerly entitled "State Secret." It's Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., in a mystery thriller. Time 8:30.		"QUEBEC" The story of Old Quebec in Blazing Color. A truly great picture for the whole family. Time 8:30.	Annual Christmas Concert Presented by the Teachers and Pupils of Lac la Biche School District. Time 8:00.	"ALL ABOUT EVE" The Picture of the year, with Bette Davis, Anne Baxter, Celeste Holme, George Sanders. It's all about Women and Their Men. Adult Entertainment. Friday, 8:30. Saturday, 7:00 and 9:15. Saturday, Free Cartoon Matinee for Kiddies at 2:30	

SUNDAY, DECEMBER, 23
"DRUMS IN THE DEEP SOUTH" — (MIDNIGHT PREVIEW)
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23 (Midnight Preview) 'DRUMS IN THE DEEP SOUTH' Doors Open 11:30. Show Commences 12:05	24	25 "THE GREAT CARUSO" Starring: Mario Lanza and Anne Blyth. A Must in your entertainment program for the Christmas Season. A picture you will always remember. Time 8:30.	26	27 "TWELVE O'CLOCK HIGH" Gregory Peck turns in one of his greatest screen performances in this great Airforce Picture. Time 8:30.	28 "Texans Never Cry" With Gene Autry and his Wonder Horse, Champion, in a fast moving Western drama.	29 "Blue Grass of Kentucky" A favorite race horse picture that will please both young and old. All in beautiful color. 2:30, 7:00, 9:15
30	31	1 "MA AND PA KETTLE GO TO TOWN" With Percy Kilbride and Marjorie Maine. A Hilarious Comedy Hit with the "Kettles." Everyone knows the "Kettles . . ." Time 8:30.	SINCERE HOLIDAY GREETINGS TO OUR Many Friends and Patrons			

BRIEREVILLE NEWS BRIEFS

BRIEREVILLE — There have been a few cases of measles in the district.

Rev. Greenough and Mr. Lett had to walk the last half-mile yesterday to get to the home of J. A. Whitford where the United Church services are held. Their car slipped off the road into the deep snow so they were compelled to walk. After the service N. Whitford drove in the truck to pull the car out.

George Gordey is working for Mrs. Liddle.

Miss Melnyk is staying at the home of H. Kaufman.

Miss Noreen Anderson and Miss Vivienne Whitford are home for a few days from the city where they were employed.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Morgenson was up to visit relatives and friends last week. There was a party held for them at the home of Herb Hellerod.

Mrs. W. Henderson, Eva, Dallas and Sylvia are going to Canmore to visit Mrs. Jack Summerhays and family.

Pulpwood is starting to roll and so are the boys for the sawmills., pulpwood for the paper industry and logs for lumber.

A dance was held in the Briereville school house, proceeds from which will be used for children's reading material. The orchestra consisted of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Thompson with a little assistance from Bud Graham.

Miss Leila Anderson of Vancouver, B.C., has been visiting friends and relatives in this district. Miss Leila was a resident of Briereville. She now works in the Vancouver General hospital as a nurse's aid. Leila was guest of honor at a party held at the home of her brother Gordon.

$23 Realized At Chicken Supper

BRIEREVILLE—A chicken supper was held at the Gordon Anderson home, in aid of the United Church of Briereville with the sum of $23 realized.

Guests from outside the Briereville-Grandin district were Rev. Greenough, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Lett, Mrs. Hall, Miss Hall and K. Proctor, all of Lac la Biche. Door prizes were awarded to Loraine Whitford for the ladies and Herbert Whitford for the gents.

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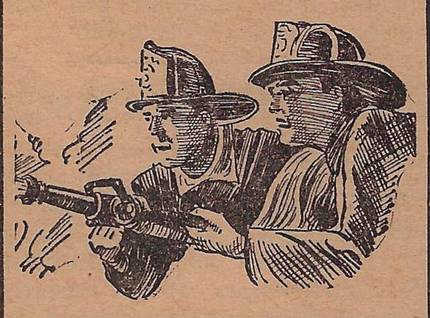
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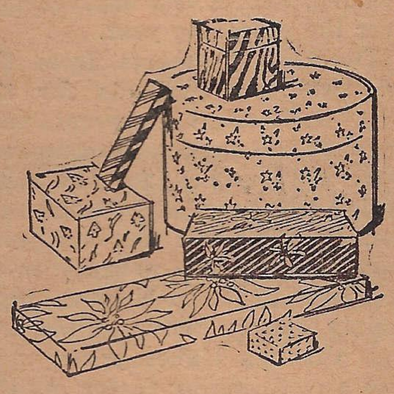
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Imperial Bank Assets, Deposits At All-time High Level

All-time records in asset and deposits were set, and loans and profits showed a marked increase over the previous year, shareholders of Imperial Bank of Canada were told at the 77th annual meeting in Toronto on Wednesday, November 28th.

Reviewing current conditions, the president, Mr. I. K. Johnston, pointed out that during the year the Canadian economy had been operating at near capacity. Employment had been at record levels, and gross national production would be well over $20 billion in 1951, a rise in real output of 5 to 6 percent as compared with 4 percent in 1950.

A notable upsurge in spending had been accompanied by an upward movement in the cost of living. Aside from the threat from communist countries, our most vexing problem had been inflation.

Deterioration in the dollar situation, said Mr. Johnston, might retard restoration of our exports overseas. No factor was so important in the worldwide battle against inflation as stabilization of prices in the United States. We too must master our inflationary forces.

Our exports to the United States had held up well, but the expected increase in sales volume of raw materials to the United Kingdom had not yet come about.

The strong upward trend of imports, he said, might not continue, because of recent restricables and possible shortages of capital goods in the United States.

As American defense production grew, Canada's exports to the United States should continue to grow also. With lower stocks of raw material and food in Britain and their defense requirements added, our exports to them should grow if dollars could be found.

We were now, said Mr. Johnston, in one of our greatest periods of expansion. The amount of capital being devoted to resource development, industrial plant and equipment, power- generating capacity, transportation equipment, oil development agriculture and housing was truly phenomenal. Defense production was now adding its quota. Not only was there a growth in our productive agents — labour, capital and resources — but they were used with increasing efficiency.

But between June, 1950 and June, 1951 our cost-of-living index rose by about 14 percent, the trend now continuing on a more moderate scale. A redirection and curtailment of our spending was necessary to avoid further inflation. Current measures to meet the problem appeared to be having their effect, and consumer spending had declined. But a rising defense expenditure would permit of no early or large relaxation in restrictions.

"The Canadian economy," said Mr. Johnston, is buoyant and should remain so if it can be managed in such a way as to control the inflationary pressures inherent in our present circumstances. Our difficulties arise from the searching pressures of the international situation. Perhaps the best one can hope for is a prolonged period in which we and the other associated nations must continue the policy of containment of Russia. We have, I feel, made progress in this and if we manage our affairs successfully, despite these continuing pressures, we need not fear for our safety nor our economic well-being."

The general manager, Mr. L. S. Mackersy, reported assets at a new all-time level of $535,606,-041, deposits of $484,742,046 also at a new high and profits of $2,862,000 up $211,692, with profit and loss account at $2,075,-745. Investments totalled $196,-768,301, and oans $234,074,343 — an increase of $28,631,000.

"The one domestic problem." said Mr. Mackersy, "and it was very real, is that of inflation, and all citizens should fully cooprate by word and deed in any and all efforts being exerted to minimize the present trend of ever-increasing costs. To do otherwise is to court disaster."

Mr. Mackersy, continuing, said, "The farmers of the West experienced a difficult harvest season due to unfortunate weather conditions. Despite these difficulties the crop yield and quality and, therefore the financial returns will represent a vast improvement over the preceding year.

The cash payments from the sale of farm products for the first half of the current year were $1,246 million as compared with $887 million for the same period last year, and $1,085 million in 1949 was the best previous mark. This unprecedented increase in farm income was mainly due to increased marketing, although higher prices were also a contributing factor. As the second half of the year's income is invariably greater than the first, it can be confidently predicted that the total 1951 income will surpass anything previously attained. Perhaps an estimate of $3,000 million may be reached against $2,500 million, the highest previously earned in 1949.

In general the year to date has been one of substantial new developments as, for example, the aluminum project in British Columbia and the uranium fields of the North. Coupled with this is the further and notable increase in the oil developments of Alberta, with exploration actively continuing not only in that province but in Saskatchewan and Manitoba as well. Further steps in the development of the iron ore fields in Quebec and Labrador are also worthy of specific comment."

Suffers Bruises As Trucks Collide

IMPERIAL MILLS—Ralph Yost suffered bruised knees and Johnny Bourassa minor abdomen injuries when their trucks collided recently about 5 miles from the Siding.

The trucks, one owned by R. G. Fisher and the other by Bob Meshen, were both damaged, in the head-on collision. The Meshen truck received extensive damage to the cab and the front of the truck while the Fisher truck had about $500 damage done to it.

This was the firts accident of the season.

Miss Patsy Bozak made a trip to Edmonton to visit friends and do a little bit of Christmas shopping.

High Seasonal Temperatures At Lac la Biche

During the week ending Friday, Nov. 30, the thermometer at the weather station showed relatively high readings for this time of year. A high of nearly 33 degrees was reached on Wednesday.

Total precipitation during the period was 1.2 inches of snow. Following are day to day maximum and minimum readings:

Nov.	Max	Min.
24	24.0	2.0
25	23.8	15.0
26	24.7	15.0
27	32.8	13.6
28	32.9	21.0
29	10.9	–5.4
30	19.0	–4.1

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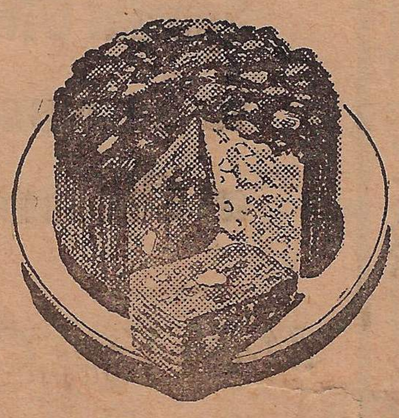
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Konowalchuk	18	14	4	28
Quast	18	4	14	8
Ray	18	10	8	20
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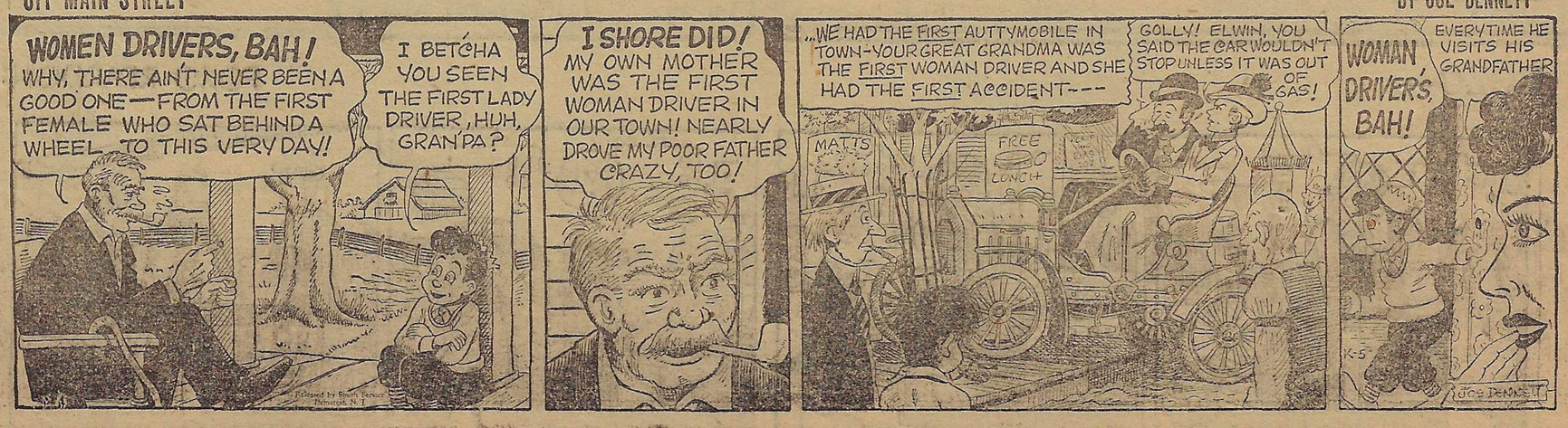


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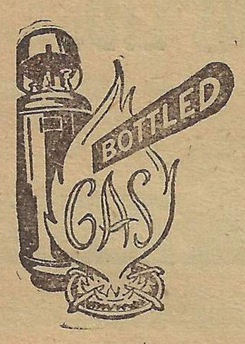
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In the midst of their pulling and hauling they were interrupted by a laughing Irish servant girl. Motioning the two men aside, she thrust a finger into the heifer's mouth, and the simple creature, expecting to obtain nourishment from the proffered digit, obediently followed her into the barn.

That night the philosopher gleefully wrote in his journal: "I like people who can do things."

Taking No Chances

It was several days before little Stanley's birthday, and he was pestering his mother for a pair of skates. His mother suggested, "Why don't you pray for skates?"

"Why are you shouting?" interrupted his mother, "God isn't hard of hearing."

"I know," Stanley replied, "but daddy is."

Customer: "One mouse trap, please, in a hurry—I have to catch a bus."

Clerk: "Sorry, sir, our traps don't come that big."

Not Love

"Your wife must be a very affectionate woman. She always kisses you when you come home."

"That's not affection. She just wants to see if I've been drinking."

This Is Really Good

In a final effort to discipline her bad and wayward chick, mother hen said to him: "If your father could see you now, he'd turn over in his gravy."

Be Reasonable

A new congressman flung down several typewritten sheets before his secretary.

"Don't use such long words in my speeches," he said, "I want to know what I'm talking about."

No "If" About It

Warehouseman: "If I get married my wife is going to have a sense of humor."

Delivery driver: "She sure will."

Couldn't Wait

A subway was being dug. A drunk stopped beside the excavation and called down to the man at the bottom of the pit:

"Shay, whatcha doin' down there?"

"We're building a subway," one of the men responded.

"How long's it goin' to take to buil' it?"

"Three years."

"Three yearsh? (hic) I'll take a taxi."

Feeling's Mutual

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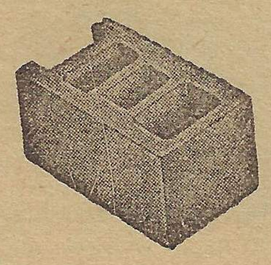
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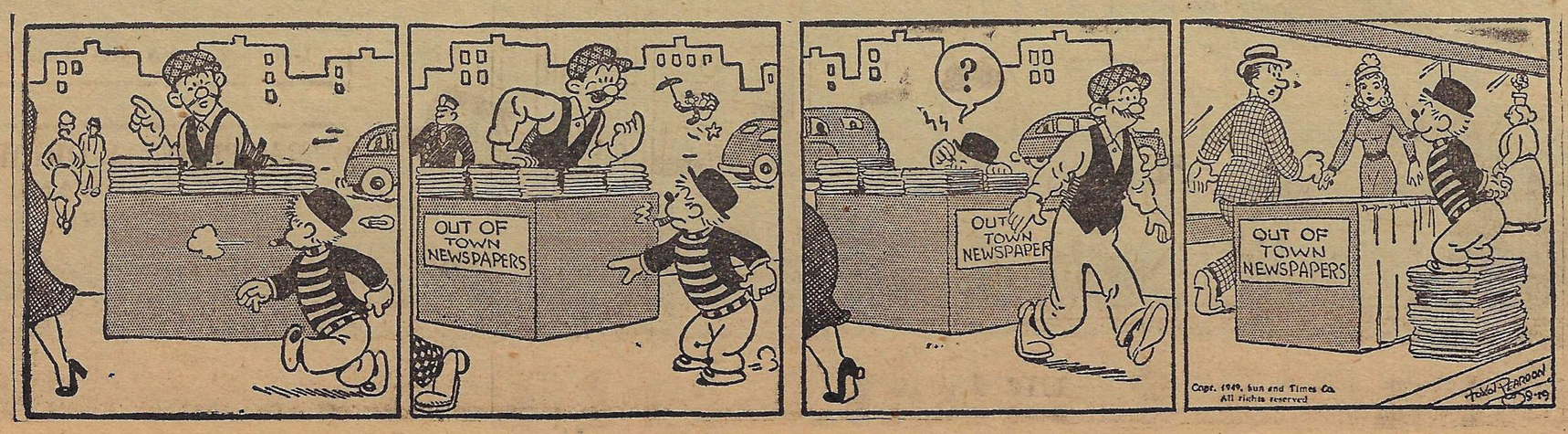


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He seems like he is crazy about the baby and me except when he is drinking. He comes home and gets angry about the least little thing and fights me and says he doesn't care anything about us. Then, after it is all over, he says he loves us and could never live without us.

I love my husband with all my heart and do everything I can to please him, but he gets mad and does worse than ever. He doesn't want me to have any friends at all and never go anywhere unless I'm with him.

What shall I do? I would leave him if it wasn't for the baby. He loves his daddy so much and I think every child needs his parents.

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Answer:

Either course you take will be hard for you but you will do well to follow the one which promises more happiness in the end, even if it means temporary heartbreak.

You love your husband dearly, but you realize that his drunkenness is getting worse instead of better, and that promises nothing but grief and disaster for you and the baby later on.

If I were you, I would give my husband one more chance and he could either straighten up and be a man or he would find himself alone. While every child needs a father, a drunken father is often worse than none, and if he prefers his drink to you and the child that is his business.

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Somehow I feel that your husband will do better if he finds that you mean business. But whatever you decide, don't keep on staying by yourself all of the time. Everyone needs friends, and it is not fair for you to do without them.

Good luck to you and the baby.

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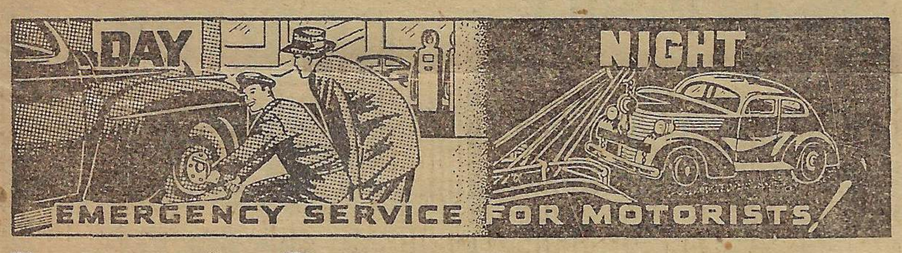
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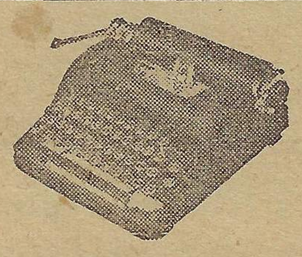
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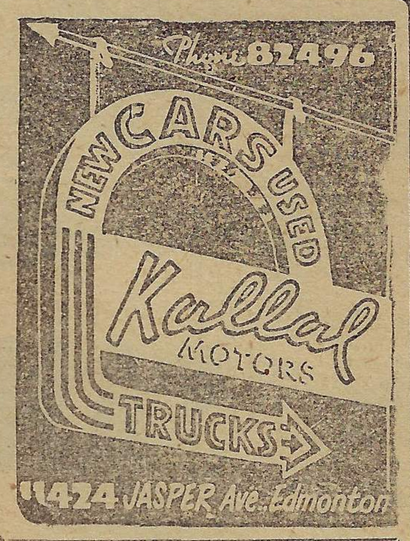
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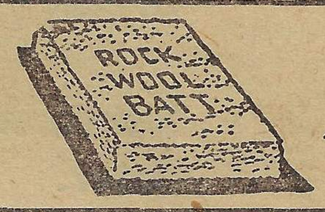


He said, "My 'hot rod's' only tin,
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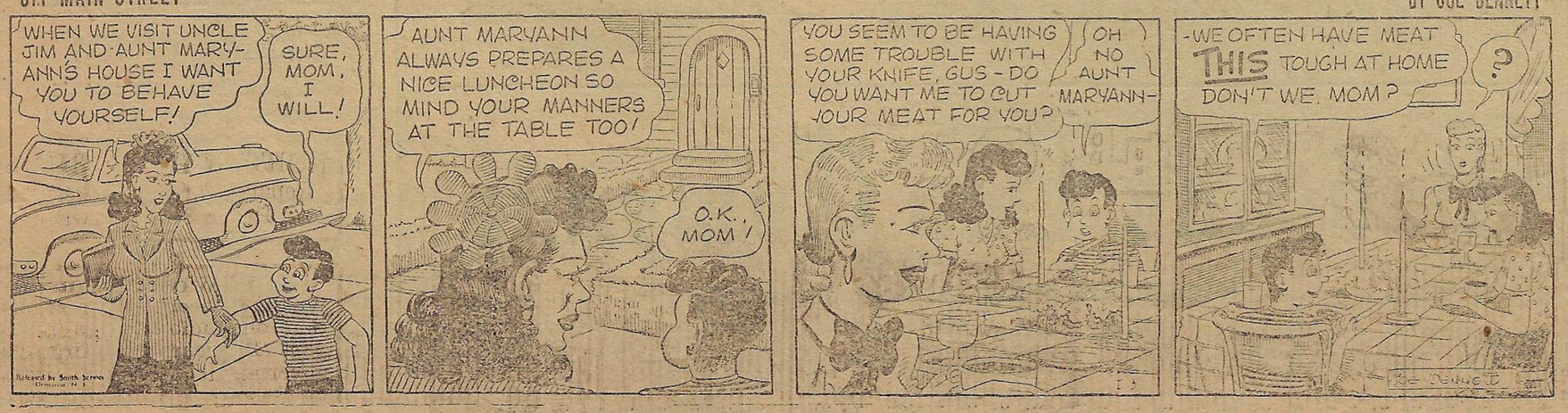
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